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FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 2-13-2007

SPONSOR Cote LAST UPDATED _____ HB HJM 35

SHORT TITLE "Salute to Veterans Month" SB _____

ANALYST Dearing

APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY07	FY08		
	*NFI	*Please see narrative	

(Parenthesis () Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Responses Received From
Veterans' Services Department (VSD)

SUMMARY

Synopsis of Bill

House Joint Memorial 35 carries no appropriation. House Joint Memorial calls for a Legislative proclamation that the entire month of November be hereby known as a "Salute to Veterans" month. Enactment of the memorial would require dissemination of the memorial to all State agencies, the executive, and statewide offices of the Veterans of Foreign Wars organization.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

*No fiscal impact.

Enactment of House Joint Memorial 35 would incur insignificant costs associated with postage for the legislation's necessary transmittal.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

In addressing the long history and association of New Mexico's citizens with the U.S. military branches, multiple campaigns, and overall military legacy, House Joint Memorial proclaims the entire month of November as "Salute to Veteran's Month."

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